



Dissemination of MIRCal Data

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Public Versions?

- Vulnerability
- Small cell size
- Policing efforts
- Solution: One public data set

Example

- Age Categories
- Five Digit ZIP Code
- Admit Quarter and Discharge Quarter
- No Dates
- No Record Linkage Number
- ICD-9-CM Code Ranges

Web Queries

- Pivot Table of Hospital Patient Demographics
 - Number of Discharges
 - Types of Care (Acute, SNF, Rehab, Psych)
 - Patient Origin at County Level
 - Age Groups; Race/Ethnicity
 - Admit Source in Site and Route
 - Disposition
 - Principal Diagnosis, Procedure, and E-Code Groups

Possible Products

- Quick snapshot of patient demographic and health data
 - Benefits those in economics, marketers, and hospital planners
- Detailed snapshot of patient demographic and health data
 - Benefits those in healthcare communities and health professionals

Testing

- Receipt of your acceptable data
- Developmental stage of web queries
- Users to provide comments

Data Uses

- Highest Volume:
 - Health facilities and Consultants
- Custom Runs or Customized Reports
- Nonpublic Data Requests

For You....

- Encourage your hospital to browse the web
- Web: www.oshpd.state.ca.us
 - for products and publications
 - for healthcare data resources
- E-mail: hirc@oshpd.state.ca.us